## NORTHERN TRIBUNE.

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 10, 1883.

### A BLIND CAT.

How It Adapted Itself to Its Condition

-Its Mysterious Homing Faculty.

The family favorite whose misfortunes have afforded an opportunity to observe the workings of instinct under difficulties is a noble specimen of the genus Felis. Dido is his name, given for simple euphony, without regard to gender. During the four years of his life he has never been known to do anything wrong unless it be to fight desperately against all feline intruders. In one of his many encounters Dido met with an injury to one of his feet that made a sugical operation necessary, from which he recovered, but shortly afterward went totally blind. A cataract was formed over each eye, by which, as repeated experiments proved, vision was thoroughly obscured. This calamity came on suddenly, and placed the cat in circumstances not provided for by the ordinary gifts of instinct. What to do with himself was a problem hard to solve. He would sit and mew most piteously as if bemoaning his condition; and when he attempted to move about he met with all the mishaps that the reader will be ready to imagine. He ran against walls, fell down stairs, stumbled over sticks, and when once on the top rail of the feuce he would traverse its entire length seeking in vain for a safe jumping-off place. On being called, he would run about bewildered, as if not knowing whence the voice came nor whither he should go to find the one calling. In short Dido's life seemed hardly worth the living, and we were seriously plotting his death, when the cat himself clearly concluded that he must make his other senses atone for the loss of sight.

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It was very curious to watch his experiments. One of the first of these was concerning the art of going down stairs. Instead of pawing the air, as he had been doing on reaching the top step, he went to one side till he felt the banisters touch his whiskers, and then guided thus he would descend safely and at full speed, turning into the hall on gaining the last step. One by one he made each familiar path a study, determined the exact location of each door, explored anew all his old haunts and seemed bravely resolved to begin life again. The result was so unexpectedly successful that we were deceived into the notion that sight had been restored. But by placing any obstacle in his path and then calling him eagerly to his accustomed feeding place it was evident that he was entirely blind, for he would run with full force against the box or other obstruction, and then for some time afterward, he would proceed with extreme caution.

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Dido's "voice is still for war," and his blindness does not make him any less successful in his duels with intruders. successful in his due is with intruders. He even goes abroad in quest of adventures, and comes safely home again. His value as a mouser does not seem in the least diminished. One of my experiments as to his capacity in this direction came near costing me dear. I had heard the gnawing of a rat in an old closet where they lay a quantity of newspapers. Here it was decided to leave Dido over night, and while arranging the papers for that purpose my hand was suddenly caught by the claws and teeth of what at the moment seemed like a small tiger. Poor Dido! He really looked ashamed of his blunder in mistaking my hand for his auticipated victim. Fortunately the papers served as a shield, or the injury inflected might have been more serious. I may add that on opening the door next I may add that on opening the door next morning there was Dido mounting guard over a slain rat as big as ever spoiled good provisions or tried a housekeeper's temper.

It is well known that the house cat will find its way back from distant places to which it has been carried blind-lissue Drafts on all the Principal will find its way back from distant places to which it has been carried blindfolded, and how it performs such feats naturalists have never satisfactorily explained. The theory accepted by some of them is that the animal takes note of the successive odors encountered on the way, that these leave as distinct a series of images as those we should receive by the sense of sight, and that, by taking them in the inverse order from that in which they were received, he traces his homeward route. But, in the cat now described, the sense of smell is by no means acute, as has been proved by a variety of methods; and moreover being as one might say, perpetually blindfolded, he quite uniformly chose the shortest route home, without reference to the path he may have taken on leaving the house. Curious to see how far this homing instinct would extend, I took advantage of a fall of snow that wrapped under its blanket every familiar object, concealed all the paths, and deadened every odor and sound. Taking Dido to a considerable distance from the house, and making a number of turns to be wilder him, I tossed him upon a drift and quietly awaited results. The poor creature turned his sightlets orbs this way and that, and mewed piteonsly for help. Finding, at length that he was thrown entirely upon his own resources, he stood motiontess for about one minute and then, to my amazement, made his way directly through the untrodden snow to the house door, which, it is needless to add, was promptly opened to the shivering martyr to scientific investigation, to whom consolation was forthwith offered in a brimming bowl of new milk. My conclusion, therefor is that Wallace's ingenious theory of accounting for orientation by what he calls "brain registration" will not explain what has been described, but that the mysterious home methods of galning knowledge as have been ordinarily observed, and is analogous to the migratory instinct conmethods of gaining knowledge as have been ordinarily observed, and is ana-logous to the migratory instinct con-trolling the long flights of some species of birds. - Scientific American.

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# GRAND RAPIDS & INDIANA RAILROAD.

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### Notice for Publication.

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LAND OFFICE AT REED CITY, MICH.

January 25th, 1883.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler have filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and final entry thereof, and that said proof will be made before the 'lerk of the Circuit Ceart of Emmet County, Michigan, at the County 'eat on Wednesday the 7th day of March, 1883 viz. Samuel M. Van Every, Homestead entry No. 8507 for the cly of sw '4 and w'4 of se 'x, sec '8. fown 38 n, r 4 w and names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said tract. viz. Jacob Ells of Bliss p o, and Samuel Ells of Bliss p o, and Joseph Sanders, of Bliss p o, and Earnest Walther of Bliss p o.

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## Notice of Administrator's Sale.

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STATE OF MICHIGAN—County of Cheboy-Barmon Deceased.

Notice is bereby given that in pursuance of an order granted to the undersigned, Joseph Wertheimer, Administrator of the estate of said Peppy Barmon deceased, by the Hon, E. Z. Perkies, Judge of Probate for the County of Cheboygan on Monday, the thirteenth day of November A. D. 1882, there will be sold at public auction or vendue to the highest bidder at the front door of the Court House in the Village of Cheboygan, County of Cheboygan in said state, on Tuesday, the Twenty-seventh day of March. A. D. 1883, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, subject to all incumberances by mortgage or otherwise existing at the time of the death of said deceased or at the time of such sale, the following described real estate sitnate in the county of Cheboygan and state of Michigan, to wit:

A piece of land situate in the village of Cheboygan in said county, described as follows: Commencing on the sub-division line on the west side of the north-east quarter of southwest quarter of section thirty-two (32) in town 38 north of range one west at the south-west corner of a piece of land heretofore conveyed by Edward Laduke and wife to Delia Fremo by deed dated Dec. 2nd, 1875, and recorded in Cheboyan County register's office in Liber "G" deeds, on pace 288, thence running east on the southerly line for Margaret Dofenais, thence west along the southerly line for Margaret Dofenais and fourteen (14) rods to said sub-division line, thence south four (4) rods to the shoutherly line for fargaret Dofenais' land fourteen (14) rods to said sub-division line, thence south four (4) rods to the place of beginning, reserving and excepting a strip of land two rods in width from off the west end of the above described piece of land for highway purposes. Being a part of the north-east quarter of section thirty two 32) in town 33 north of range one (1) west. Also a piece of land southerly acres more or less.

Dated Cheboygan, Pebruary 2nd. A. D. 1883, JOSEPH

### Chancery Sale.

Chancery Sale.

In pursuance and by virtue of a final decree of the Circuit Court for the county of Cheboygan, State of Michigan, in chancery made and entered on the 14th day of November A. D. 1882, in a certain cause pending in said court wherein Bernard Werzberger is the complainant, and Joseph Wertheimer, Henry Barmon, Mina Wertbeimer, Lilly Wertheimer and Willie A. Wertheimer are the defendants. Notice is hereby given that the undersigned circuit court commissioner of said county, will on the TWENTY SEVENTH day of MARCH A. P. 1883, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, sell at public auction to the highest bidder, at the front door of the court house in the village of Cheboygan in said county, (that being the place of holding the circuit court for said county), all those certain premises described in said decree, or so much as shall be necessary to satisfy said decree and costs; to wit: Those certain premises situate in the the county of Cheboygan, state of Michigan, and described as follows: To wit: Twenty two (22) feet in width, front on Main street off from the south side of lot twenty-seven (27) and running back the same width the whole length of said lot, and twenty-two (22) feet in width, front on Main street, off from the north side of lot thirty-two (32) and running back the same width the whole length of said lot, being in what is commonly known as Jacob Sammon's plat of the village of Cheboygan as the sim appears of record, and also the buildings on said premises, and the hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging or in any wise appertaining.

Cheloyyan February 2nd, 1884.

WM. A. CLARK, JR.

Circuit Court Commissioner.

BELL & APAMS, Solicitors for Complainants.

## Notice to Contractors.

NOTICE is hereby given that fids will be received by the undersigned for furnishing a crew of measure a foreman to take charge of them to wo k on the improvement of Indian River. Work to begin as soon as practicable in the spring and be completed on or before the 14th of July, 1883. Bids to be at a given price per day per man, and may be addressed to the undersigned at Chebry, an, or Indian River.

Contract will be awarded at noon on Saturday, F bruary of 1883, at Indian River.

The right is reserved to reject all bids if unsatisfactory.

HENRY C. LOWER.

By authority of Board of Supervisors.

## Notice for Publication.

EDWARD STEVENSON, Register. Jan13-5t

## To Whom It May Concern.

TAKE NOTICE—That on the 8th day of February, A. D. 1883, at 10 o'clock in the forencon. at Shepherd's Hall in the Village of Mackinaw City. Cheboygan County, Michigan, a jury w'll assemble for the purpose of ascertaining and determining the just compensation to be made for the following described real estate required by School District Number one, in the township of of Beaugrand in said county for a school site, and the necessity for using the same.

The east half of block sixty-one (61) in what is known as Mackinaw City, in said township of Beaugrand, County of Cheboygan, according to a plat thereof on record in the office of the Register of Deeds for said county.

GEORGE W. STIMPSON, Director.

JAMES SHEFHERD, Moderator.

Notice for Publication.

## LAND OFFICE AT DETROIT, MICH., January 19th, 1883.

January 19th, 1883.

NOTICE is hereby given that the following named settiers have filed notice of their intention to make final proof in support of their claims and that said proof will be made before the U. S. Land office at Detroit, Mich., on March 18, 1883, viz: Frederick Kraft for s w ¼ sec 22, town 35 n, r 1 west. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: George Wetterich, of Detroit p. o. Mich.

And John Downey for the n w ¼ sec 28, town 35 n, r 1 w. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land. viz: George Wetterich, of Detroit p. o. Mich, Frederick Kraft, of Detroit p. o., Mich, Frederick Kraft, of Detroit p. o., Mich, Jan 27-5

J. B. HLOSS. Register.

PHILADELPHIA, August, 1881. THE Co-partnership heretofore existing between John P. Mac Kinnon and Benj S. Haldeman, was dissolved by mutual consent on February 23d, 1882.

JOHN P. MAC KINNON.

BENJ. S. HALDEMAN.